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School Code Master Update

The School Code Master is the relational link for the five core data sets in the Michigan Education Information System (MEIS). In order to have accurate and up-to-date information, districts and schools should review their SCM information to keep records current.

An authorized user can access the SCM from the Center's Web site. Click on *Data Services*, *MEIS Applications*, and go to the *School Code Master*. For more information on how to become an authorized user, send a request to CEPI-SCM@michigan.gov.

REP Forms Now On-Line

The Credential Data Exchange (CDX) application is now on-line, as well as security agreements for the CDX and the Registry of Educational Personnel (REP). Look for information on the REP under *MEIS Applications* in the *Data Services* section of the Center's Web site. The REP replaces the Register of Professional Personnel (ROPP) and will contain data on all personnel working in educational facilities. Questions regarding the REP can be sent to CEPI-REP@michigan.gov.

Center Offers SRSD Training to ISDs

Single Record Student Database (SRSD) application training for the Spring 2002 submission is being offered to ISD SRSD contacts/data managers and ISD pupil accounting auditors. The technical team from the Center will introduce and explain the new SRSD file submission functions, rules, and guidelines for the Spring 2002 submission. For more information, please visit the *Data Services* section of the Center's Web Site.

S & P Releases 2000 School Year Data

Standard & Poor's School Evaluation Services (SES) has updated its Web site with data from Michigan's K-12 school districts and charter schools for the 2000 school year. In addition to the new data, S&P has enhanced the SES Web site with more navigation tools and a menu page. You can "Quick Link" to the SES site from the Center's Web site.

Heads Up: 2002 Crime and Safety Data

Pursuant to Public Act 102 of 1999, districts are required to submit incidents of crime occurring in their schools. The deadline for submitting crime and safety data is June 30, 2002. Detailed information about the data submission process will be provided to districts later this month.

Questions about submitting crime and safety data, or any other questions about the SID, should be sent to CEPI-SID@michigan.gov.

Coming Up...

February 13 Supplemental Count Day February 11 – April 30 REP Submission

Questions? Comments? Please contact the External Affairs Office at cepi@michigan.gov or (517) 373-4237.

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